



By MISS GERTRUDE FRY, Society Editor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fry had as dinner guests Thursday evening: Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Eblin of Wichita, Kas., Mrs. Matapy of Clarksville, Mo., and Miss Frances Johnson.

Monday afternoon Mrs. Alex Carter invited a dozen ladies in to spend the afternoon in chatting and sewing with Mrs. R. E. Eblin of Wichita, Kas. After all important subjects had been well discussed and very little sewing done, the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. B. Marlow entertained at cards the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Claiborne Jackson and Dr. and Mrs. D. T. Moore. Elaborate refreshments were served after the games.

Dorothy Johnson of Columbia has Rita Mitchell of Hardin College week-end guests of Miss Anna Johnson.

Miss Mary Barks entertained at dinner Saturday evening at the Tea Shop: Col. and Mrs. F. N. Henderson and Will H. Bronaugh of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Elliott had as dinner guests Monday evening the Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Cowart, and the Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Wynn.

Sunday noon Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Elliott entertained at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell, Fred Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Roberts.

Mrs. C. R. Anderson and nephew, Benjamin Joudon are spending the week-end in St. Louis.

Mrs. T. E. Hook and daughter, Miss Phil S. Taylor and Little Miss Dorothy Ann Taylor of Telford, Tenn., were guests of Mrs. W. W. Bots for Monday dinner Monday.

Sunday noon Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Worrell entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vandeventer for dinner in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Worrell.

Tuesday afternoon the Country Club was turned over to the ladies for the large card party which had been postponed from last Saturday. Bridge and five hundred were enjoyed throughout the afternoon. About eighteen tables in all being played. Mrs. Bernice Cohn was awarded for highest bridge score and Mrs. B. M. Marlowe for the highest five hundred score of the afternoon, while honors were also awarded to Mrs. A. B. Smith and Mrs. J. H. Whitmore for low scores. Following the games dainty refreshments were served by the ladies. Each club member was allowed to invite two guests on this occasion making this one of the most delightful affairs for sometime.

Among the out of town guests were: Mrs. Phil S. Taylor of Telford, Tenn., Mrs. Sol Oppenheimer of Utica, N. Y., Mrs. R. E. Eblin of Kansas.

Mrs. Maurice Phillip had a table of bridge Thursday afternoon for Mrs. R. E. Eblin of Wichita, Kas. Besides the guests of honor Mrs. Wallace Fry and Mrs. Joe Wilkins were invited. Dainty refreshments were served after the games.

Mrs. T. E. Hook entertained informally Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Phil S. Taylor of Telford, Tenn., and Mrs. R. E. Eblin of Wichita, Kas. The guests were members of the Beta Sigma Alumnae which the two honored guests are also members of. At 8:30 Mrs. Hook served elaborate refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Johnson entertained at dinner Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Worrell and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vandeventer.

Tuesday was the twenty-ninth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Elliott, so they invited Mrs. Tinsley, Miss Lella Tinsley and Mrs. Sallie Jesse to have dinner with them Tuesday evening and help them enjoy the evening.

Mrs. Harrison Brown was hostess to the Menattink Club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. George Kamp and Mrs. C. C. Bledsoe were the extra guests of the club. At five o'clock the hostess served dainty refreshments.

Monday evening the Country Club was most gorgeously decorated in Halloween colors and autumn pumpkins black cats, and autumn leaves, for it was the occasion of the masquerade dance given by Mr. and Mrs. J. Leo Counts. Every one had been looking forward for some time to this occasion and the costumes were all well chosen and most attractive. On entering every one registered on the huge pumpkin their name: "Si Perkins," "The Mysterious Widow" and many other names were given by the guests. Programs of the evening entertainment were given out by the younger guests present. Then black

cats with the program of the dances "The Ledger Scoop" which proved to be a fox trot, and many others such. Fortunes were told by the Black Cat fortune teller which was afterward found to be Mrs. Hammond, (no wonder she could tell so many truths to every one.) After all the men had found out about their future, past and present, and the women had learned who was vamping their husbands at present. After the unmasking prizes were awarded to Mrs. R. M. White and R. R. Arnold, Jr., for the best makeup, and favors of the evening were given the guests which were fortunes in nut shells. The elaborate refreshments were served by Cateress Scott and then all gathered around the big fireplace to tell ghost stories till the hour for farewell came which was all too soon.

Mexico Music lovers had a rare and very delightful treat Thursday evening at the Orpheum Theatre when the Pilcher Jewelry Co., invited friends to the Edison recital and to hear the wonderful re-creation of voice, and violin given there. Miss Ellerman, who has a splendid contralto voice gave as her first number, "La Zingara" by Donizetti, followed by "He Was Disposed" (Messiah), by Handel, "When Love is Kind" and "Jenny" by Pepper, all of these were splendidly done. Miss Barstow gave two selections on the violin, "The Old Refrain," Kriesler and "Ballet Music from Rosamunde," Schubert-Kriesler, Miss Barstow possesses wonderful talent and her numbers were quite delightful, the re-creation here was quite wonderful. "Tales from Hoffman," "Barcarolle," given by Miss Ellerman, Mr. Cox, and Miss Barstow with accompaniment by Edison re-creation, was indeed excellent and much applauded. The last number of the program was "Rose of My Heart," by Miss Ellerman, Mr. Cox and Miss Barstow with violin obligato. The voices are well suited together and the song was quite well done, making a fitting close to the very delightful evening of music which everyone had so much enjoyed. The applause received showed the appreciation of Mexico music lovers to Mr. Pilcher for giving them such talent and showed the appreciation of the Edison machine. Ushers of the evening were: Misses Betty White, Betty Wilson, Frances Williams, Lucile Dozier. The door assistants were Miss Mary Lee Hanson, John Dearing and Shields Moore. The house was full to overflowing and numbers of people stood during the entire time.

The beautiful A. P. Green home was the scene of a very delightful tea Thursday afternoon when Miss Martha Green entertained the Beta Sigma Omicron Sorority, the house, as always, was most attractive. Fall decorations were used in the dining room. Huge yellow chrysanthemums formed the table centerpiece. Assisting in serving were: Misses Josephine Clark, Mildred Orcutt, Mildred Dixon, and Betty White. Favors of the afternoon were dainty ivory paper knives. Miss Green's guests included: Misses Lucile Craycraft, Julia Anna Lockard, Mildred Orcutt, Josephine Clark, Gladys Blackburn, Helen Hall, Mildred Dixon, Billye Cox, Julia Ann Hamah, Katherine Stripes, Aileen Parker, Julia Boardnaux, Betty White, Mary Elizabeth-Hawkins, Julia Plank,

Mary Cordelia Mason, Barbara Reavis, Annette Graham, Elizabeth Green and Betty Worrell.

Misses Jennie Karnes and Nannie Wright are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith in St. Louis this week during the State Teachers' meeting.

Miss Edna Lindsey is spending the week-end with her parents on St. Louis.

Monday evening was the opening dance of the season at the Elks Home, and was a real Halloween party, corn stalks, bales of hay and autumn leaves were used profusely in decorating the ballroom, where dancing was enjoyed by a large number till a late hour. Everyone was dressed in "farmer" costumes, the girls in aprons and sunbonnets and the men in overalls and blue shirts. In the card rooms five hundred held forth till midnight. Mrs. Neal Silliman and J. D. McKee received favors for the highest scores of the evening. In the dining room real Halloween refreshments of pumpkin pie and cider was served. This was one of the most enjoyable parties given by the Elks for sometime and it is hoped another will be given again soon. The M. M. A. orchestra furnished the music and it was splendid.

Mrs. C. C. Hammond was hostess to the Tuesday evening club this week. After pondering over the rules and regulations of bridge and discussing the topics of the day. The hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Locke had as dinner guests Tuesday evening for Mrs. Everett of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vandeventer, and Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Worrell and Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Moore.

At 6:30 o'clock Friday evening, M. M. A. gave an elegant "home coming" day dinner at the Academy for the alumni, former students, and friends of the school, the dining room was attractively decorated in school colors, flags and autumn foliage, the boys "old and new" formed outside with the school battalion and marched in to dinner while the M. M. A. band played. Throughout the dinner music was enjoyed by the orchestra, songs and yells given and special music rendered by Cadet Harrison, J. Lieut. Thompson, S. former cadet Gent, and Capt. Moore. The elaborate three-course dinner was enjoyed by about two hundred friends, visitors, alumni and former students with the faculty and cadets, after which a dance was given in the M. M. A. gym to which everyone was invited and quite a number of Hardin girls and young ladies of town were present. The gym was decorated in the school colors, both M. M. A. and Kemper banners floated over the room and at one end of the room a large American flag hung, behind which the orchestra sat and played most enchanting music for dancing. The Kemper students were guests of honor at this time and also the alumni were honored guests for the evening. At 11:30 light refreshments were served and all too soon "Home Sweet Home" was played and good nights said but long in the minds and hearts of the boys and friends as well as the young ladies present will "Homecoming Day" be remembered as a "wonderful day."

Benny Denton is the guest of his parents for the week-end.

Master Bobby Lange gave a birthday party Friday afternoon for his cousin, Miss Marly Ellen Blackman, who was 7 years old Friday. The children had a grand time playing games and when Mrs. Lange invited them to the dining room where the

large birthday cake with seven brightly lighted candles burned. The party was sure enough a success. Dainty refreshments were enjoyed and every one wished Mary Ellen many happy returns of the day.

Mrs. Edgar Richardson entertained with a delightful party for her daughter, Anna Frances from 3 to 5 o'clock Friday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served. The guests were Helen Frances Brown, Genevieve Johnson, Ruth Hofess, Violet Markwell, Mildred Holterman, Rebecca Vaughn, Alice Wagner, Jean Wagner, Mabel Offutt, Margaret Smith, Ruth McDonough, Dorothy Sherer, Mary Virginia Nelson and Virginia Horton.

The primary department of the Baptist Church had a Halloween party at the church Monday evening. Misses Bessie Woods and Bessie Denton were in charge of the program of the evening and saw to it that each child had ice cream cones and candy enough.

Mrs. A. B. Whitney and son, Charles Buckner, of Eldon, are week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Whitney.

Mrs. Joe Wilkins was hostess to the F. A. E. Club Friday at her home in Woodlawn. The afternoon bridge

games were preceded by an elaborate one o'clock luncheon.

Mrs. Otis Purdy entertained at noon day dinner Friday for Mrs. Matapy of Clarksville, her guests included her sisters and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Phillip and Mr. and Mrs. Cortez Edmonston have issued invitations to a formal dance to be given at M. M. A., on the evening of Monday, November fourteenth. This promise to be one of the large social events of the year.

Miss Eva Miller of St. Louis is the guest of her parents for the week-end.

Misses Mildred Orcutt, Martha Bibb, Mary Eliza Hawkins and Mildred Dixon of Hardin College are spending the week-end at their homes in Louisiana and Bowling Green.

Friday was "Home Coming Day" at M. M. A. and many of the alumni and former cadets were back to enjoy once more their Alma Mater and renew acquaintance with the splendid faculty and boys. At noon a very delightful dinner was given at the Tea Shop for the Alumni, Capt. Raymond Moore and Major J. C. Strock being in charge of this and saw to it that every one had a good time. Songs and short talks were enjoyed during

the hour. At the close of the delightful dinner officers of the general alumni were elected: President Ezekiel Epstein, of Danville; vice-president, Richard Long, Fulton, Mo.; treasurer, M. B. Wall and secretary, Capt. Raymond Moore.

The Jolly Twelve Club gave a surprise party to Miss Vernelle Denton Friday evening at her home on West Love street. Games and dancing were enjoyed and later very delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Denton and Miss Bessie Denton. Miss Vernelle Denton teaches in New Bloomeld and is home for the week-end and has as her guest Miss Katherine Edwards of Louisiana, Mo.

TO INTEREST CHILDREN

IN CURRENT EVENTS
An attempt is being made to interest the children in the rural schools in current events. Various plans are being offered by the leading magazines of the United States and these are being considered by Ed C. Offutt with a view of adopting a plan to be used in interesting the children in Audrain County in current events.

Thomas Weaver of Louisiana was a Mexico visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooper of Arkansas City, Ark., are visiting their son at Missouri Military Academy.

Meet in St. Louis.
The Wabash Railway Surgical Association met November third at the Statler hotel in St. Louis. Dr. J. F. Harrison, of this city, who was elected president of this organization at its meeting in Buffalo, N. Y., last year, attended the sessions.

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